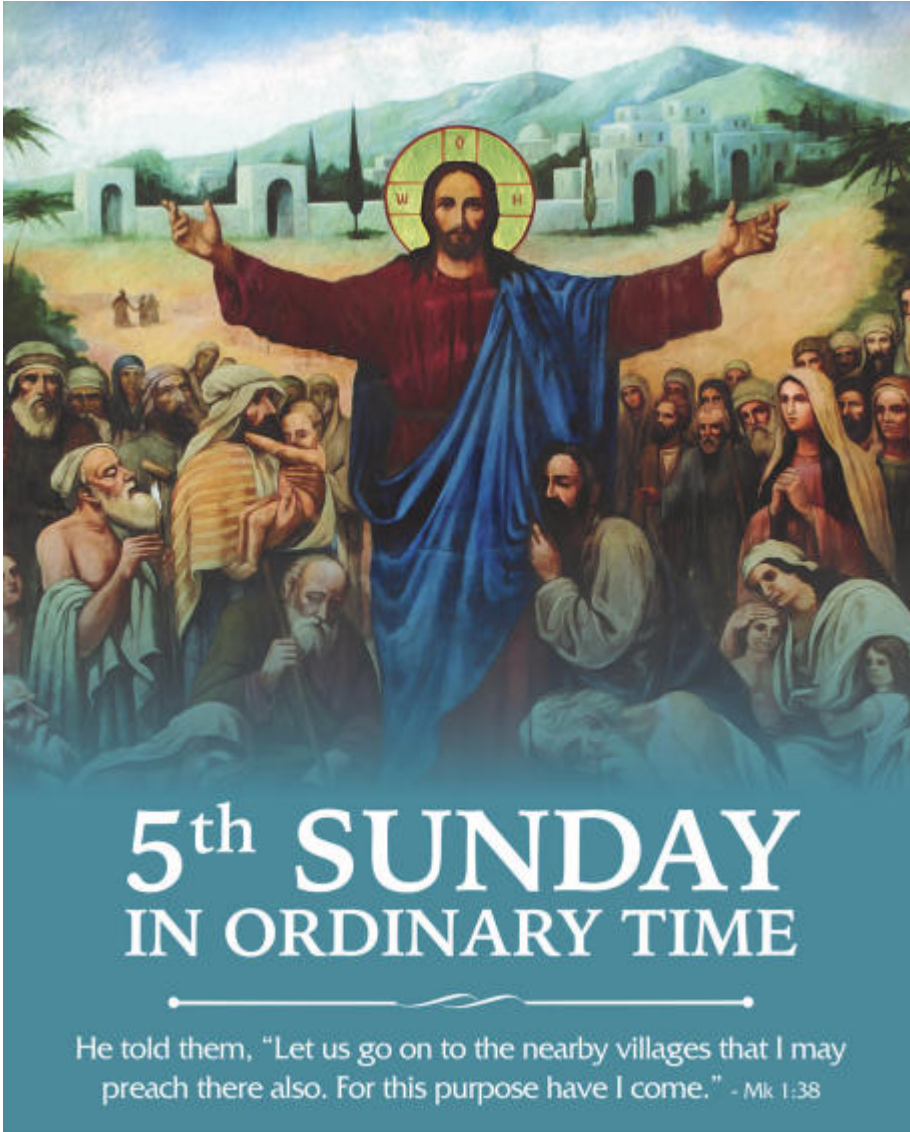


St. Anthony of Padua Parish

2223 - 51ST STREET KENOSHA, WISCONSIN 53140

February 7, 2021
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00 PM (Mass of Anticipation)

Sunday - 10:00 AM

Thursday—7:00 AM

First Friday Mass - 5:00PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:15-4:45

Sunday 9:15-9:45

Marriage

In order to wisely discern a minimum of six months is required. Contact the Parish Office.

Baptism

Arrangements are to be made with the Administrator. Parents must be active, registered and practicing Members of St. Anthony Parish.

Office Hours

262-652-1844

Sundays

11:30-12:30

Parish Membership

All adults from high school age up are expected to be registered members with the Parish including candidates for Baptism and Marriage.

Parish Pastoral Council

Alan Padlock, Chairperson

Will Martin, Vice-Chairperson

Barb Clark, Secretary

Members-at-Large

Mary Andrews, Tom Hamm,

Sue Kaeppler, Darlene Slater

Members Ex-Officio

Fr. Todd Belardi

Trustees ;

Lawrence Dolnik, Pat DeGrace

Parish Mission Statement:

That the people of St Anthony of Padua parish experience the love of Jesus Christ through:

Vibrant sacramental life

Knowledge of the truth and beauty of the Catholic Faith

Generous service to others

Family atmosphere

So that we can all be true disciples of Jesus that reflects

His commandment to "Love one another"

If I only knew then what I know now, how different life would be. This sentiment, expressed in myriad ways, is found on every human being's lips at one point or another. Life may have brought us to a vulnerable place where we see some of the poor choices we made and the effects they are having. Perhaps we fell into some destructive and dysfunctional relationships or behaviors and are finding how they held us captive. Our zeal and passion for life may have drifted away and we are waking up to the reasons apathy has taken hold. Life can be hard. In fact, some would describe their lives as a drudgery. They walk through each day with an anxious unsettledness, wondering when their restlessness will cease. There is a temptation to believe that what I see is all I will get. Mortality and hopelessness await the dawn. If I could only have known what would come in the future, I could have made better choices and avoided all of this misery!

Really? While we can certainly give into weakness, sin, impulsiveness, and idiosyncrasies that cause us to stumble over ourselves, life is really a journey. If we don't make the mistake of wallowing in the mire of self-pity and realize the new life God is calling us to, then there are thrills, adventures, surprises, and soul-searching graces we can surely miss. We are not tethered to our past nor are we bound to the ills life can bring upon us. We are never hopeless or helpless. The problem is that our myopic vision only allows us to see the misery and misfortune that is before us, not the potential that can come from choosing healthier and more life-giving options. Jesus came that we might have fullness of life. We need to learn how to reach for Jesus' hand and let him help us to our feet.

We need to allow God into our pain and heal our past. We have to wrestle with our histories, agonize and search and cry out for the Divine healing we need to restore our faith, hope, and love. Job could not see how his story would end or trust the guidance of the God who called him. We live in that same blindness and suffer from the same lack of confidence. Once we allow ourselves to be touched by God's healing power, we begin to see that all of the pieces of our lives are necessary parts of a greater whole. Along the way of our lives, God uses our omissions and failures to create new things and possibilities. When doors close, others open and we can be amazed by the joyful and unexpected surprises we receive. Once we know the power of God's creative, healing, life-giving, forgiving, and dynamic presence, it is no wonder we want to put ourselves at the service of others and show them what life can be.

Observances for the week of February 7, 2021

Monday: St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin

Wednesday: St. Scholastica, Virgin

Thursday: Our Lady of Lourdes

Pray for us....



The Schedule of Services for This Week

SATURDAY	February 6	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Mass of Anticipation)	5:00 pm—Donald Romanowski (Family)
SUNDAY	February 7	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00 am—Robert Nelson (Carol Pelke)
THURSDAY	February 11	Our Lady of Lourdes	7:00 am—Virginia Gombar (Jacob)
SATURDAY	February 13	6th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Mass of Anticipation)	5:00 pm—Sophie Machiewicz (Kurt & Debbie Lawler)
SUNDAY	February 14	6th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00 am—Elsie M. Scuglik (Husband & daughter)

Readings for the week of February 7, 2021

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 3a]/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

Monday: Gn 1:1-19/Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 and 12, 24 and 35c [31b]/Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: Gn 1:20—2:4a/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17/Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30 [1a]/Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: Gn 2:18-25/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/Mk 7:24-30

Friday: Gn 3:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 [1a]/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: Gn 3:9-24/Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13 [1]/Mk 8:1-10

Contact Information

Fr. Todd Belardi - Administrator
Jane Padlock—Parish Secretary

For Regular Parish Business
call the Rectory and leave a message at
652-1844 or email us at
paduakenosha@gmail.com

Normal Office hours:

Sundays 11:30-12:30 Parish Center Office
To speak with Fr. Todd please call the rectory
and leave a message.

If you have an urgent need please call Fr. Todd
at (404) 545-4988

The Pope’s Prayer Intention for
FEBRUARY

Universal Intention

We pray for women who are victims of
violence, that they may be protected
by society and have their sufferings
considered and heeded.

Parish Dates:

Feb 10 Parish Council 7pm
Meeting room

*The fullness of Joy is to behold
God in everything.*

**Join us for Eucharistic Adoration
every Thursday from 5:00-6:00pm**

FORMATION CORNER

In these troubled times it is
important that we turn to
Jesus in our struggles.
Lent is an excellent time to
renew our prayer life.
Ash Wednesday is February 17.
Several great resources are
available to help us refocus on
our Lord.

Best Lent Ever
(dynamiccatholic.com)

40 Days to Grace & Glory
(formed.org)

February 7, 2021
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Pray With Me

During these times of political unrest and
Covid concerns, let us turn to Our
Blessed Virgin Mary in prayer:

The Memorae

Remember, O most loving Virgin Mary,
that never was it known that anyone who
fled to your protection, implored your
help, or sought your intercession was left
unaided. Inspired by this confidence, we
fly unto you, O virgin of virgins, and our
mother. To you we come, before you we
stand, sinful and sorrowful. O mother of
the Word incarnate, despise not our
petitions, but in your mercy hear and
answer me.

By: Saint Bernard
(St. Bernard was the first Cistercian
monk placed on the calendar of
saints. He was also a Doctor of the
Church. He died in 1153 and is the pa-
tron saint of skiing, snowboarding, hik-
ing, backpacking and mountaineering.)

St Vincent de Paul

Ever wonder how your donations
of goods, food and dollars are used
by St Vincent de Paul of Kenosha?
Take a look at what happened just
in the month of December:
St Vincent de Paul vouchered
out over \$4,300 worth of items
such as clothing, furniture, and
linens to families in need of these
items.

St Vincent de Paul served 240
families (over 800 individuals) by
distributing a total of 8,924 pounds
of food!

St Vincent de Paul provided 12
families with new mattresses.
Vincentians throughout the
community assisted families and
distributed over \$15,000 combined
to help with costs such as rent,
gas, medications and medical bills.
Your continued support through
your generous donations of
household items, clothing,
furniture and non-perishable food
items are very much appreciated!
Every dollar stays right here in
Kenosha County!!

First Friday Masses
Mass will be held at
St. Anthony at 5:00 pm on
the first Friday of each
month.
Next Mass: March 5



Both Catholic schools Open
Houses are rescheduled for
Sunday, February 7.
All Saints Catholic School
11am-2pm
St. Joseph Catholic Academy
Call 262-654-8651 ext 104

Catholic School Educational
Grants

St. Anthony of Padua will offer
Catholic School Educational
Grants to member families for the
school year 2021/2022.
Application forms and eligibility
requirements are available to our
member families in the usher's
room in the vestibule of the
Church. Completed applications
are to be submitted to the parish
office or placed in the collection
basket at weekend Mass, no later
than February 28, 2021.



Souper Bowl of Caring is transforming the
Big Game into a nation-wide movement
inspiring people to give locally and make a
collective impact on hunger. Mobilizing
grassroots resources including churches,
schools, civic groups and caring individuals,
the Souper Bowl of Caring movement has
created over \$160 million worth of support
that stays completely local.
In 2020, over 5,000 groups collected over
\$10.6 million in dollars and food donations
for hunger-relief charities across the coun-
try. Over \$163 million has been collected
since Souper Bowl of Caring began in 1990.
Sunday as you leave Mass there will be
someone with a soup kettle for you to
make a donation to Kenoshans in need of
food. Join the big game!

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